

Sports Of A Day

—Told By The Farmer's Experts—

BASEBALL SCORES AT A GLANCE

CONNECTICUT LEAGUE

Connecticut League Standing	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Hartford	10	3	1.000
Holyoke	8	5	.750
Waterbury	7	6	.600
Bridgeport	6	7	.500
Northampton	5	8	.400
New Britain	4	9	.300
Springfield	3	10	.250

Yesterday's Results

Bridgeport-New Britain, snow.
At New Haven-Holyoke 1-0. Holyoke, cold.
At Springfield-Hartford, 1; Springfield, 0.
At Northampton-Northampton, 4; Northampton, 2.

Games Today

Bridgeport at Hartford.
Waterbury at Holyoke.
Northampton at New Britain.
Springfield at New Haven.

Connecticut League

Springfield opened its season at home yesterday losing to Hartford 1-0. Former Manager Dan O'Neill of Springfield and Manager Jim Clarkin of Hartford, joined hands after the hard tumble of last season, and raised the championship flag of 1904 on the staff for the first time. Hitting on both sides was very light as both pitchers were in fine fettle. The score:
Hartford 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1-1
Springfield 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0
Batteries: Schumann and Abrogast; Parker and Wachob.

Northampton took advantage of Waterbury's errors yesterday winning 4-2. Chase pitching for the Authors held Northampton to two hits, but the fielding behind him lost the game. A catch by Golden in center field and Yale's three batters featured. The score:
Northampton 0 2 1 0 0 0 1 1-4
Waterbury 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0-2
Batteries: Schumann and Abrogast; Parker and Wachob.

All other Connecticut league games were postponed because of snow.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

American League Standing	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	9	3	.750
New York	7	5	.583
Boston	7	5	.583
Chicago	5	5	.500
Philadelphia	6	5	.545
St. Louis	4	7	.364
Cleveland	4	7	.364
Washington	3	7	.300

Yesterday's Results

At Boston-Boston, 10; New York, 4.
Other games postponed.

Games Today

Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston, April 30.—The Red Sox administered another stinging defeat to the discomfited Highlanders yesterday afternoon, thereby tying with them for second place in the pennant race. It was a bitter cold day, and the east wind that whistled across the diamond froze the ungloved hands of the players and made the spectators shiver under their coat collars. The error column of both teams footed up large, Newton having four to his credit, three being put down to him in the sixth inning. The game was put out of the game in the second inning for disputing a called strike of Umpire Egan's. The score:
Boston 0 0 0 0 4 0 2 5-12
New York 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1-4
Batteries: Clocette and Carrigan; Newton, Kleinow and Blair.

No other American League games were played yesterday. It rained in the West, while the Washington-Athletics game was postponed on account of the funeral of Dr. Powers, the catcher.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

National League Standing	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	6	4	.600
Boston	5	5	.500
Cincinnati	5	5	.500
Philadelphia	5	5	.500
Pittsburgh	5	5	.500
New York	4	5	.444
St. Louis	5	5	.500
Brooklyn	4	7	.364

Yesterday's Results

At Cincinnati-Chicago 5, Cincinnati 1 (first game); Cincinnati 3, Chicago 2 (second game).
Other games postponed.

Games Today

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cincinnati, April 30.—The Reds and Cubs broke even on a double header yesterday afternoon, the visitors getting the first game, while the locals won the second. Steinfield was benched in the first game for disputing a decision. Johnny Evers joined the Chicagoans here yesterday. Grasper was knocked out of the box in the sixth of the first, his successor, Rowan giving the Cubs their winning run on a base in balls and a wild pitch. The scores:
First Game.
Cincinnati 0 1 0 0 0 0 4-11
Chicago 0 1 1 0 0 0 0-5
Batteries: Grasper, Rowan and McLean; Brown and Moran.
Second Game.
Cincinnati 0 0 1 0 0 0 0-3
Chicago 0 1 0 1 0 0 0-3
Batteries: Fromme and McLean; Egan and Moran.

All other National League games postponed.

JAKE SHINE WAITING WITH THE WALLOP

Jake Shine, champion 105 pound boxer of the West End, would like to arrange matches with any boxer in the State at 105 pounds. All acceptances should be addressed to George Schweikert, manager, Colorado avenue, Bridgeport. Come on, you 105 pounders, and show Jake and his manager that there are a few live ones living yet.

FLASHES FROM THE FIELD DANDY DIAMOND DOINGS

In Hartford to-day. If weather permits.

No game yesterday—slush.

The weather man certainly sprung a surprise in the way of the beautiful snow.

Yesterday was pennant raising day at Springfield. To celebrate the occasion Hartford shut out the Ponies.

Will somebody stop Hartford—five straight victories and the defeat of the Ponies. By the way, Hartford has not stacked up against them yet.

To-morrow, Saturday, Jack Zeller and his band of Springfield champions will cavort about Newfield Park. Zeller has gathered a likely crew, but they have not yet struck their gait.

Outfielder Kennedy of the New Britain team has returned to his home in New York. He is suffering with cold trouble and it is doubtful whether he will be able to play ball again this season.

Bob Drew, former Whaler, has been after Manager Bone for a job on first base. Bob does not impress Bone as being very much. He would, however, prove better than the misfits tried out on that sack so far this season.

Jameson has not been given a chance to get behind the bat in any of the championship games. Kocher has done such good work that he will be used.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Academy Baseball team of Ansonia are desirous of booking games with teams in Bridgeport and vicinity for Saturday and Sunday games. Communicate at once with the Manager Academy Baseball Club, Ansonia.

The Young Superbas accept the challenge of the Stratfields for a game Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

The Mohicans accept the challenge of the Island Brooks for a game Sunday, May 2.

The Victors accept the challenge of the Corinthians for a game Saturday afternoon, May 1 at 2:30 o'clock. The Corinthians are asked to name the grounds.

The Stratfields will play the Island Brooks at Brooklawn Sunday, May 2 at 2 p. m. Call at 5 Harrison Court or answer in Saturday's paper.

The George C. Hatcheller & Co. team will play the Crown Corset Co. team Saturday afternoon at the Mud Flats. Batteries for Hatchellers: Abt and Bowden; for Crowns: McDonald and Wilson.

The manager of the Western A. C. is asked to get in communication with the manager of the Stratfields in regard to that game for Sunday, May 3.

Sound Views can have a chance for a game Sunday morning, May 2, at the Aurora of the Park City League. Game to be played at the Flats.

The Y. M. C. A. team will begin practicing to-morrow afternoon at 2 p. m. at Seaside park on Diamond No. 2. All members of the association are invited to a try out.

Crane Co. No. 2 team of the Industrial league will play the Lincoln team to-morrow at 2:30 o'clock at Burnham field, corner of Irastrian and South avenues.

During the spring every one would be benefited by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. It furnishes a needed tonic to the kidneys after the winter of colds and winter, and it purifies the blood by stimulating the kidneys, and causing them to eliminate the impurities from it. Foley's Kidney Remedy gives you new life and vigor. Pleasant to take. F. B. Brill, local agent. *125

BIG SALE FOR COMING FIGHT

Jack O'Brien and Jack Johnson Box in Philadelphia May 19.

(Special from United Press.)

Philadelphia, April 30.—Advance orders for seats for the Jack Johnson-Jack O'Brien six round fight on May 19, total \$9,000 and the club promoters expect \$20,000 gate receipts when the men enter the ring.

HAYES AND BURKE REAL CHAMPIONS

(By Dick Barrett.)

Walter Hayes, champion of Connecticut, and Harry Burke, champion of Newburgh, N. Y., defeated O'Rourke and Chatfield of Waterbury last night in Waterbury by 2 laps. At the end of the second mile Hayes was one lap to the good when they relayed their partners again. The time for the two miles was 6 minutes 58 seconds which is the best time ever made on that track. Burke went out in the third mile and in the 16th lap he passed his man making it two laps lead. Seeing he had it easy he got into a slow gait and finished in 33 minutes and 32 seconds. It took 33 laps to a mile and it was done in very good time as it was a very small track to race in. The three miles were done in 10 minutes and 30 seconds. Hayes and Burke defeated these same boys in the city last Monday night and they were to race two out of three for the championship of Connecticut. They won very easily with a side bet of \$60. The winners challenge any team in the state for a relay race from one mile to 25 miles for any amount.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. F. B. Brill, local agent. *125

NEW GUINEA COURTSHIP.

All the Proposals of Marriage Are Made by Women.

Away off in the strange island of New Guinea it is leap year all the time in one important sense, for out there all the proposals of marriage are made by the women. It is considered beneath the dignity of the male inhabitants of New Guinea to even notice a woman, and consequently the women perform most notice the men and must start any idea of weddings, etc.

So when the island belle of New Guinea becomes in love she promptly sends a piece of string to the sister of the lucky man. If he has a sister she sends it to his mother or to some female relative—this because the man and his male relatives are assumed to be above taking any steps toward acquiring a wife.

Then the sister says to the man involved: "Brother, I have news. So-and-so is in love with you." If inclined to matrimony the man makes an engagement to meet the enamored lady. When they meet it is alone, and they either decide to wed or drop the entire proposition at once. There is no courting, for the man is not allowed, theoretically at least, to waste any time on a woman—not even enough time to make love to the lady or to allow her to make love to him.

The betrothal is announced, and the engaged man in New Guinea is branded on the back with charcoal, but the woman's mark of engagement to wed is actually cut into her skin and is never allowed to completely vanish. If either one decides to break the engagement nothing can be done by the offended party.

If the girl decides that, after all, she sent the little piece of string by mistake the man is apt, however, to catch her some time alone and beat her. If the man jilts the woman her relatives often hunt him up and administer a sound drubbing. Blood, however, is seldom shed, as the breaking of these women made engagements is not deemed a very serious matter.

Though the women propose the weddings in New Guinea, the condition of the wife is miserable and unjust in the extreme. The girl is merely the property and slave of the husband. He can beat her unrebuked and even kill her with impunity if she incurs his enmity—Atlanta Constitution.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE.

Her Summary Method of Snapping Official Red Tape.

When Florence Nightingale came, instantly a new intelligence, instinct with pity, and flame with energy, fertile with womanly invention, swept through the Scutari hospital. Olusany male devices were dismissed, almost with a gesture, into space. Dirt became a crime, fresh air and clean linen, sweet food and soft hands a piety. A great kitchen was organized which provided well cooked food for a thousand men.

Washing was a lost art in the hospital, but this band of women created, with a breath, a great laundry, and a strange cleanliness crept along the walls and the beds of the hospital. In their warfare with disease and pain these women showed a resolution as high as the men of their race showed against the gray coated battalions of Inkerman or in the frozen trenches before Sebastopol. Muddled headed male routine was swept ruthlessly aside.

If the commissariat failed to supply necessities, Florence Nightingale, who had great funds at her disposal, instantly provided them herself, and the heavy footed officials found the swift feet of these women outrunning them in every path of help and pity. Only one flash of anger is reported to have broken the serene calm which served as a mask for the steel-like and resolute will of Florence Nightingale. Some stores had arrived from England; sick men were languishing for them. But routine required that they should be inspected by a board before being issued, and the board, moving with heavy footed slowness, had not completed its work when night fell. The stores were, therefore, with official phlegm, locked up and their use denied to the sick. Between the needs of hundreds of sick men and the comforts they required was the locked door, the symbol of red tape. Florence Nightingale called a couple of orderlies, walked to the door and quietly ordered them to burst it open and the stores to be distributed.—Cornhill Magazine.

Will Liggins land up with the Warner Brothers' team? The management says that he is not employed there, while others say he is. Who's Who?

The directors of the league in view of the fact that the finances will be greater this year and the quality of ball served up better, have decided to raise the pay of the umpires. Applications will now accordingly increase.

A new rule in the by-laws will prevent a repetition of the events of last season when three teams were tied up for the pennant. The new rule says that if two teams are tied up at the end of a series of three games will decide the championship; while if there are three teams in the tie, each team must play the other at least once. Last year the pennant winner had only to wait until the game of the play off to carry away the rag, which was quite unfair to the other two teams.

Humor was it that there is less tension in the ranks of the U. M. C. Co. team. It's up to Manager Ball to patch up his differences and trot out the bad men. It would be too bad to break up a good team.

Crane Co. No. 2 team will have Kelly at first, McMahon at short, and Baker at third; all new blood, good players, but easily rattled. The outfield will be the old standbys, Keating, Morgan and Farrell, all good throwers and stickers, but poor on covering territory.

Manager Coles of the A. & B. team says that he has been keeping mum about the prospects of his team, but that they will be there from start to finish. Moshier at catch, Stricks in the box, and Richards, Casparack, O'Day, Vardon, Weber, McCarthy and Wilson. They look and are classy.

Look out for George Ellsworth's Crane Co. team. All young lads, each willing to break his neck to win. They'll be there from start to finish. Moshier at catch, Stricks in the box, and Richards, Casparack, O'Day, Vardon, Weber, McCarthy and Wilson. They look and are classy.

Brassies will trot out as nifty a bunch of young ball tossers as can be found in a week's walking. They're under a good leader, who will bring out the best there is in them.

Crane Valve Co. No. 2 loses a good man in Baker who leaves to-day to accept a position with the Singer Co. The Crane Co.'s loss is the Singers gain.

Crane Co. No. 2 will play the Lincolns to-morrow at Burnham field at 2:30 o'clock.

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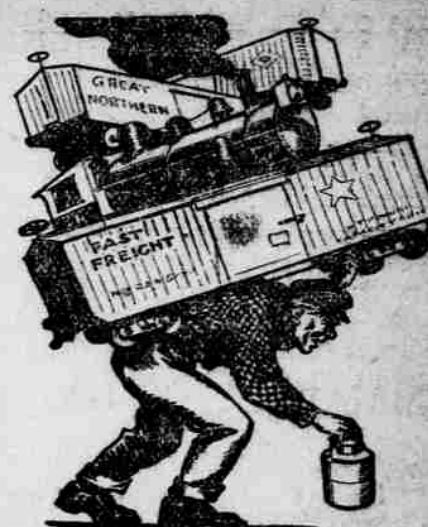
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